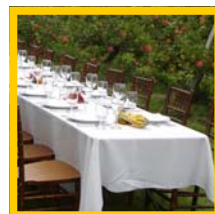


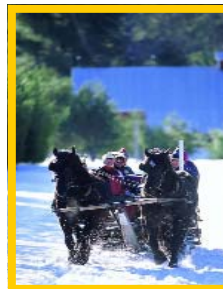
EXPERIENCE RURAL NEW HAMPSHIRE



Where to find unique events, learning opportunities and places of interest featuring New Hampshire's rural heritage, agriculture and forestry.

Join the fun!

Visit an historic farm, take the family to a harvest season festival, roam gardens in full bloom, shop a bountiful farmers' market, sample maple sugar on snow, get caught up in the excitement of a country fair...



April 2007 - March 2008

About Town

Syttende Mai (Norwegian Constitution Day)-Northern Forest Heritage Park. May 19, 11am-3pm. A giant smorbord (buffet) is the center piece of this celebration of the rich Scandinavian culture that contributed so much to Northern New Hampshire life. Music, genealogy, arts and crafts, games enrich the festival. Narrated boat tours will be available, depending on weather. 752-7202, heritage@ncia.net, www.northernforestheritage.org.

Cannon Mountain Engine Show-Cannon Mountain Ski Area, Franconia. June 16-17, 8am-6pm. Display and demonstration of antique gas engines, steam engines, farm tractors and farm equipment, and working models. No admission fee. Food available on grounds. 878-2845.

Warren Old Home Day-Warren Town Square. July 6-8. July 6, early afternoon-midnight: chicken barbecue, 5pm, jam session scholarship, 7pm, fireworks at dusk; July 7, 9am-midnight: parade, 11am, lobster fest, 12pm; July 8, 10am-6pm: fishing derby, 7am, church under tent, 10am, pig roast, 12pm, blue grass concert. Midway throughout, other family events, historical society museum open. 764-5775.

Herbal Luncheons-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. July 7, 14, 21, 28, August 4, 11, 18, 25, 12pm & 2pm. \$10/person. Reservations required. 542-1746, poissonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com.

Dorchester Old Home Days-Dorchester Town Hall & Town Common. July 20-22. July 20, 6-9pm; July 21, 9am-9pm; July 22, 9am-1pm. Held on the historic Town Common for over 100 years. Food, Mo the Clown and live blue grass. Continental breakfast, crafters, farmers on the common, parade, ham and bean luncheon, auction and entertainment of all types from clowns to jugglers, magic show and an evening concert. This is a great activity for children. Sunday has a pancake

breakfast, church services, children's entertainment and more music. 523-7119, townofdorchester@earthlink.net, www.townofdorchester.net.

Charlestown 15th Townwide Yard Sale Day-Charlestown. July 21, 8am-3pm. The town of Charlestown celebrates its 15th Annual Townwide Yard Sale Day. Yard sales will line both sides of Main Street and take place throughout all other areas of town. Maps will be available on Main Street for outlying sales locations. Delight in homemade refreshments and lunches. There will be antiques, bargains and fun for everyone. Spend a happy day in a small NH village and discover a treasure! Whatever you are looking for, it's sure to be here this year. 826-5877.

Antique Car Show-Warren Town Square. August 11, 11am. 989-9814.

Fremont Old Home Day-Old 1800 Meeting House, Route 107. August 19, 11am. Old fashioned Universalist Church Service, music, refreshment hour. Fremont Historical Museum open from 1-3pm. Museum located at 8 Beede Hill Road. Fascinating local historical exhibits. Fremont Grace Notes Quartet performance. 895-4032.

Boscawen Old Home Days-Jamie Welsh Park, Boscawen. August 25, 11am-9pm. Parade at 11am on North Main Street. Entertainment and food at 12 noon. Chicken barbecue town Hall under church, 4-6pm. Fireworks at 8:30pm. 796-7011, rjudd@tds.net.

State Championship Hogstock Fest/Heritage Days-Warren Town Square. August 25. Barbecue and chili cook off competitions. Historical museum displays. 764-9378/9949, cnsr@adelphia.net.

Dublin Engine and Tractor Show-Route 101, Dublin. September 8-9, 8am-6pm. Display and demonstration of antique gas engines, steam engines and working models. Adult spectator fee \$3. No cost for exhibitors. Food available on grounds. Chicken barbecue on Saturday evening. 878-2845.

Herbal Wreath Making-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. September 8 & 15, 10am-12pm. Create your own herbal wreath. Reservations are suggested. Admission \$5/person, plus supplies. 542-1746, poissonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com.

Annual Book Sale-Plainfield Town Hall. September 15, 9am-5pm; September 16, 9am-4pm. Approximately 7,000 books, 95 percent donated, low prices. No admission fee. 675-6866, plfdlib@mvgalaxy.com

Goshen Old Home Day-Center of Town. September 15, 9am-4pm. Huge parade at 11am, honors veterans, make your own scarecrows, magician at the library, three music groups, hike to the lead mine, book sale, fire department barbecue, library barbecue, games for children. 863-8831.

McAlister Farm Show-off Route 202, West Deering. September 29-30, 8am-6pm. Display and demonstration of antique gas engines, steam engines, farm tractors and farm equipment, and working models. Also a snowmobile flea market. Admission fee for spectators \$3, good for both days. Food available on grounds. 878-2845.

Exeter Historical Society Monthly Presentations-47 Front Street, Exeter. First Tuesday of the month, October-May, no meeting in December, 7:30pm, refreshments at 7pm. Our monthly program meetings are free and open to the public. The meetings cover a wide range of historical topics, usually focusing on Exeter. 778-2335, exhissoc@verizon.net, www.exeterhistory.org.

Holiday House 2007-Hillscrest at MacDowell Colony, Peterborough. October 4-7, 10am-4pm. See the home of Edward and Marian MacDowell decked out for the holidays by the Monadnock Region's top interior designers. Tour the house, learn about the family's past, and get a jump on your holiday decorating. For tickets and more information contact 924-3235, director@peterboroughhistory.org, www.peterboroughhistory.org.

Marlow Harvest Festival-Marlow. October 7, 9am-3pm. Harvest festival and apple pie sale. Art exhibit, bluegrass music, crafts, flea market, chicken barbecue, food concessions and historical museum exhibit. 446-7044.

Marlow NH Historical Society Book Sale-Marlow. October 7, 9am-4pm, October 8, 1-4pm. Sale of used and new paperbacks and hardcover books, all subjects. 446-6201, marlowhs@earthlink.net.

Herbal Crafts for Christmas-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. November 10 & 17, 10am-12pm. Make herbal sachets, pomanders, dried apple wreaths and more. Admission \$5/person, plus supplies. Reservations required. 542-1746, poissonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com.

Holiday Open House-Conservation Center, 54 Portsmouth Street, Concord. December 1, 10am-4pm. Visit our holiday open house, enjoy refreshments, buy a NH grown tree, listen to holiday concert, the gift shop is open with NH made gifts. 224-9945, amcculough@forestsociety.org, www.forestsociety.org.

Lighted Winter Wonderland-Charmingfare Farm-Route 27, Candia. December 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24. Reservations required. Admission \$15/person

online; \$18/person at gate, under one free. Thousands of lights illuminate our seasonally decorated trail. Laugh and carol while passing by our festive holiday scenes on your 30-minute horse drawn ride. Children will be filled with amazement as they meet their fabled friends, such as Frosty, Grinch and Christmas Bear. A visit with Santa Claus, his live reindeer and a hearty ho-ho-ho will make everyone tingle in delight. 483-5623. www.visitthefarm.com.

Dickens Victorian Teas-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. December 15 & 22, 10am, 12pm & 2pm. Enjoy a traditional English tea with costumed servers. Admission \$5/person. Reservations required. 542-1746, poissonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com

Agricultural Fairs

North Haverhill Fair-Fred C. Lee Memorial Field, North Haverhill. Set in the beautiful Upper Connecticut River Valley, an old fashioned country fair with attractions for all ages. Located at the foothills of the majestic White Mountains. July 25-29. 787-6696. www.nohaverhillfair.com

Stratham Fair-Route 33, Stratham. July 26-29, 10am. A family oriented agricultural fair with something for everyone. From queen pageant to horse pulling, petting zoo, large and small stage entertainment, 4-H and activities for children of all ages. 772-2990, www.strathamfair.com.

Cheshire Fair-Swansey. July 31-August 5, opening day, 12-10pm; all other days, 8am-10pm. Agricultural fair, horses, cattle, sheep, pulling horses and oxen. Everything from A to Z; animals to zucchini. Exhibits, children's farm fun tent, midway, entertainment, demolition derby, vendors, petting zoo, fun for the whole family! 357-4740, cheshirefair@cheshire.net, www.cheshirefair.com.

Belknap County Fair-Mile Hill Road, Belmont. August 11-12. Come experience the Biggest Little Agricultural Fair in NH, featuring numerous animal shows, oxen and tractor pulls, demonstrations, 4-H exhibits, assorted entertainment for young and old, and plenty of good food. 286-3213.

Cornish Fair-Townhouse Road, Cornish. August 17-19, Friday & Saturday 7am-11pm; Sunday, 7am-6pm. Country fair with horse, oxen and pony pulling, tractor pulling, Woodsmen's Field Day, beef & dairy cattle shows, sheep and goat shows, a farm museum, commercial exhibits, vegetables and fancy works, entertainment bands and a midway with rides, games and foods. Admission \$8, under 13 free. Free parking. 675-6279, www.cornishnhfair.com.

Lancaster Fair-August 29-September 3. Route U.S. 3, Lancaster. Where else would you expect to find the one "old time country fair" but in the Great North Woods. Come on up and enjoy the friendly atmosphere. Everything you should expect from the Free Kids Korner to the barns full of animals, from horse and oxen pulls to the Big Rig pull. Don't forget the great food, clean wide midway and free parking. This is one fair that has it all! 636-1813. www.lancasterfair.com.

Hopkinton State Fair-Contoocook. August 30-September 3, 8am. Agricultural based fair, providing educational agricultural activities and exhibits, entertainment and fun to its fairgoers, since 1918. Whether it is arts and crafts, horse shows or pulling, there is much to enjoy at the annual fair. 746-4191, hsfinfo@tds.net, www.hsfair.org.

Hillsborough County Agricultural Fair-Route 13, New Boston. September 7-9, Friday 12-10pm; Saturday 9am-10pm; Sunday 9am-6pm. Celebrating our 50th anniversary! Enjoy the sights, sounds and tastes of a true country fair! Home of the original pumpkin weigh off and largest pumpkins in NH. Horse, oxen, tractor and truck pulls. Midway, cowboy mounted shooting, mounted police, farm animal shows, demonstrations and entertainment. 529-1529, hcaf@comcast.net, www.nhfairs.com/Hillsborough.

Rochester Fair-September 14-23. Lafayette Street, Rochester. Come to the 132nd Rochester Fair for livestock exhibits, pulling events, horse shows, lumberjack contests and gigantic hall exhibits. Stroll the massive Fiesta Show Midway and visit Circus Hollywood offering three free shows a day, or sit and listen to the music in the entertainment tent. Grand stand shows include, demolition derbies, stunt drivers and some surprises too. The fair showcases agriculture and rural life in a unique 19th century Victorian exhibition hall all this and more await the patrons. 332-6585. www.rochesterfair.com.

Deerfield Fair-Deerfield. September 27-30, Thursday, Friday & Saturday 8am-10pm; Sunday 8am-7pm. NH's oldest family fair located in beautiful Southern NH. Four day horse show, horse pulling, exhibits of needlecraft, fine art, fruits, vegetables, canning and baking. Demolition derby, farm museum, petting barn, pig scramble and much more. Superior entertainment every day. Always free parking. 463-7421, Elaine@deerfieldfair.com, www.deerfieldfair.com.

The Sandwich Fair-Center Sandwich. October 6-8, 8am. One of the oldest agricultural fairs in NH held every Columbus Day weekend. Experience the many 4-H animal competitions and shows. Traditional horse or oxen pulling and demonstrations are a big hit. There are also many crafts to see, baked goods to examine and entertainment is always being performed on the stage. This exciting country fair has something for everyone, young and old and is at the peak of the foliage season. A great way to spend a day or three! 284-7062, sfa@ttlc.net, www.thesandwichfair.com.

Arts & Crafts

Art in the Barn-Tumbledown Farm, Route 109, Brookfield. July 28, 4:30-7:30pm. Art in many mediums, sculpture, pottery, quilts, decorated wood, metal and fabric, all from local artists. Free wine and hors d'oeuvres. Sale of art and a raffle of the artists' works. 522-3401, gafney@worldpath.net, www.gafneylibrary.com.

Artists in the Park-Cate Park, downtown Wolfeboro on the water. August 15, 10am-5pm. Forty-one juried artists, demonstrations, three mini matinees for children, original crafts. 569-4994.

23rd Annual Plymouth Fall Art Show-Plymouth Town Common. September 29, 9am-4pm. Outdoor event.

Rain or shine! Over 30 artists from around New England show and sell their artwork. Special division for children grades K-12 in the local school district. Their artwork is also displayed for your enjoyment. 536-1001, info@plymouthnh.org, www.plymouthnh.org.

Maxfield Parrish Vintage Print & Collectibles Sale-Plainfield Town Hall, Route 12A. October 6-7, 10am-5pm. Site of the stage set designed by Maxfield Parrish in 1916, on view and lighted, all original. Admission \$1. 675-6866, plfdlib@mvgalaxy.com.

Art Exhibition-Murray Hall, Marlow. October 6, 4-6pm, reception; October 7, 9am-4pm; October 8, 1-4pm. Exhibition of works by area artists, all mediums. 446-6201, marlowhs@earthlink.net, www.marlowhistoricalsociety.org.

Forests, Trails & Woodsmen's Events

Winnepesaukee River Trail-Franklin to Northfield, year round. A three mile trail parallels the Winnepesaukee River and passes the sulphite upside down bridge believed to be the only one in the country. You will also view mill ruins and remaining portions of dams that tell the history of the five mills that operated on this river in the mid-19th century. 934-5236, beckandbel@metrocast.net.

D Acres of New Hampshire-Streeter Woods Road, Dorchester. 786-2366, www.dacres.org.

Tree Species ID-May 26, 2-4pm. Walk the woods and learn the trees of the Northern Forest. Admission \$16.

Northern Forest Medicinal Plant Walk-June 17, 11am-1pm. Learn to identify medicinal plants provided to us by the Northern Forest.

Trail Construction-July 28, 9-11am. Examine and practice skills in the woods on our trail project. Admission \$24.

Mushrooms ID with Terry-Anya Hayes-August 5, 1-5pm. Walk the woods with Terry as we identify edible mushrooms. Admission \$36 discounts apply.

Forest Erosion Control-September 15, 2-4pm. Employ best management practices to help prevent erosion. Admission \$24.

8th Annual Greet North Woods Lumberjack Festival-Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin. September 30, 11am-5pm. Professional lumberjacks competing for prize money in seven events highlight this day of family fun. Food, games, demonstrations, displays, presentations, Heritage boat tours and a junior log rolling contest add to the excitement. 752-7202, heritage@ncia.net, www.northernforestheritage.org.



Gardens

Open Gardens-Heritage Herbs, 1 Hannah Dustin Road, Canterbury. May-October, 10am-5pm. Walk through the gardens, where all plants are marked, afterwards sit on the banks of the Merrimack River with a glass of iced tea and a goodie, relax and enjoy. Visit the Barn Shop handcrafted items and garden related items. 753-9005.

D Acres of New Hampshire Learning Opportunities-Streeter Woods Road, Dorchester. 786-2366, www.dacres.org.

Composting-May 12 & October 13, 1-3pm. An overview of the process and practice of composting. Admission \$16.

Medicinal Herb Preservation-August 4, 9am-12pm. Learn to preserve herbs by dehydration and preparing medicinal oils and tinctures. Admission \$20.

Root Cellaring-October 20, 2-4pm. Learn the basics of fall crop storage via root cellar. Admission \$20.

Gardens at Beans & Greens Farmstand-245 Intervale Road, Gilford. Mid July-late September. Cut your own fresh flowers, flowers for drying and herbs. 293-2853, beansandgreensfarm@msn.com, www.beansandgreensfarm.com.

Gardens of the Sandwich Range-South Tamworth. July 21, 9am-4pm. Tour some of the loveliest private gardens in the area. Acclaimed garden photographer Steve Silk will kick off the day with a talk at the Community School. All proceeds from the event benefit the Community School garden. 323-7000, geofhancock@yahoo.com, www.communityschoolnh.org.

16th Annual Open House-Uncanoonuc Mt. Perennials, 452 Mountain Road, Goffstown. Extensive daylily collection in peak bloom, 2-1/2 acres of display gardens and stock beds to wander through. Over 800 varieties of perennials, roses, vines, choice shrubs, grasses and berry bushes available. Free lemonade to sip and cookies to munch. Drawings each day for gift cards and t-shirts. 497-3975, www.uncanoonucmt.com.

Hay & Sleigh Rides

Brookfield Family Farm Day-Tumbledown Farms, 295 Wentworth Road, Brookfield. August 18. Hay rides, children's games and activities, pig roast and cow chip bingo. 522-8800, Kelly@tumbledownfarms.com, www.tumbledownfarms.com.

Our Famous Haunted Hay Rides-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. October 12-14, 19-21, 26-28, 31, 7pm, 7:30pm, 8pm, 8:30pm. Ghosts and woodland creatures abound. Travel through the haunted medieval castle and village. Reservations strongly suggested. Admission \$5/person. 542-1746, poissonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com

Charmingfare Farm-Route 27, Candia. 483-5623. www.visitthefarm.com

Halloween Horse Drawn Hayrides-October 13, 19, 20, 26, 27. Evening Halloween hayride for older children that would be like a little night time fright without all the gore of a haunted house. Reservations required. Admission \$15/person; \$18/person at gate.

Children's Trick or Treat Hayrides-October 20, 21, 27, 28, 11am-3pm. Sooo...much fun it is almost scary! Trick or Treat safely through the zoo meeting familiar costumed characters each providing a trick or treat to your children. No reservations required. Last wagon ride departs at 2pm. \$11/person, under one year old free.

Traditional Hay & Sleigh Rides-Fall & Winter. The trail makes it way through our North American Wildlife Exhibits so passengers can see our wolves, mountain lions, river otters, wolverines, reindeer and many other animals. The trail continues by the pastures with the Scottish Highland cattle. The ride is 1.5 hours long and includes a stop around the campfire area for about 30 minutes. Be sure to bring along snacks to enjoy while warming up by the fire. Groups of 20 or more may wish to have us cater refreshment around the campfire. We also have indoor facilities available for small groups. We can accommodate groups up to 400 or more guests outside. Contact us for more information and rates. \$15/general ticket, limited to Saturday and Sunday at selected times. Reservations required.

Single Horse Drawn Sleigh-January-March. Requires adequate snow base conditions. Experience a one hour long ride through a wintry wonderland of snow. Our sleigh seats four passengers, is a recreation of an 18th century vis-à-vis sleigh complete with antique lamps, velour cloth seats and a warm sleigh robe. Reservations required. \$100/hour, rate allows up to four passengers.

A Day of Sleighing-The Carriage Barn Equestrian Center, 6 Sarah's Way, Newton. January-February, Sundays, 12-3pm. Join other horse drawn sleigh enthusiasts for an afternoon of fun in the sun and snow. Just like the ski slopes, please call ahead for conditions. Private lessons available. 378-0140, carriage-barn@comcast.net, www.carriage-barn.com.



Livestock

Farm Animals-Beans & Green Farmstand-245 Intervale Road, Gilford. Ongoing. Farm animals to pet include pigs, goats, calves, chickens and ducks. Great for families and school groups. Free admission. 293-2853, beansandgreensfarm@msn.com, www.beansandgreensfarm.com.

Schroeder Farm-126 Sutton Road, South Newbury. Spring, summer and fall, times vary during the day. We have an open farm, where kids can pet sheep, gather eggs and be around pigs, turkeys, cows, chickens. Farmstand offers homemade jams, relishes, pickles, maple syrup and eggs. Pumpkins and squash in the fall. 938-5911.

Farm Animals-Goat Dairy-Via Lactea Farm, 366 Stoneham Road, Brookfield. March-December, Wednesday-Sunday, 9am-5pm. Visit a working goat dairy farm, take a self guided tour to see dairy goats, goat kids, swine, poultry. Guided tours of barns, dairy and cheese making available by appointment. 522-3626, info@vialacteafarm.com, www.vialacteafarm.com.

Discover Wild New Hampshire-NH Fish & Game Headquarters, 11 Hazen Drive, Concord. April 21, 10am-3pm. A fun filled event for the whole family, featuring live animals with over 35 exhibitors. Hands-on activities, food and fun. Free admission. 271-3211, info@wildlife.state.nh.us, www.wildlife.state.nh.us.

Yankee Miniature Horse Club Open Barn-158 Garland Road, Barnstead. April 28-29, 9am-4pm. Miniature horses and their owners, quiz game for all. Horse to pet, brush and foals to view. Food available. Come join the fun! 435-7351, tizmini@comcast.net, www.yankeeminiaturehorseclub.com.

The Carriage Barn Clinics & Events-6 Sarah's Way, Newton. 974-0779, carriage-barn@comcast.net, www.carriage-barn.com.

Carriage Driving Clinic with Muffy Seaton-April 28-29, 8:30am-4:30pm. Muffy Seaton has won every major combined driving event in the East and been the AHSA/US Equestrian National Pony Champion since its inception. She also holds a British Driving Society's Light Harness Horse Instructor's license. She shares her knowledge through several books and videos. Private lesson format. Auditors welcome. Pre-registration requested.

Introduction to Carriage Driving Group Lessons-Sundays in May, 1-4pm. Group lesson format. Learn about harnessing, different breeds of horses and various driving vehicles. Will include hands-on carriage driving, with an emphasis on safety and enjoyment of this fine art. We drive Miniature horses, ponies and haflingers. Class size is limited, so register early. Beginners welcome. Pre-registration requested.

Driving Clinic with Hardy Zantke-June 30-July 1, 8:30am-4:30pm. Carriage driving clinic. A top US competitor in Combined Driving, a Director of the American Driving Society and a well known author for several driving journals, Mr. Zantke will join us for this two day event. Pre-registration requested.

Kids Driving Clinic Week 1-July 9-13, 9am-3pm, daily. Carriage Driving Summer Camp week 1 for beginner students at least 10 years of age with a

basic understanding of horsemanship and at least one year of instruction. Students will be introduced to harnessing, the history of carriages and receive driving instruction each day. Pre-registration requested. Space is limited. Parent supervision not required.

Kids Driving Clinic Week 2-July 16-20, 9am-3pm, daily. Advanced students ready for competition level. Dana Bright will instruct, with experiences including competing Advanced Combined Driving Event Level and pleasure shows with singles, pairs and unicorn. She holds "R" cards for pleasure and combined driving, pleasure TD and dressage with the American Driving Society. She also judges USEF shows. Pre-registration required.

Kids Driving Clinic Week 3-August 6-10, 9am-3pm, daily. For beginner students at least 10 years old who need to know everything there is to know about ponies, horses and carts. No previous experience required. Students will be introduced to harnessing, the history of carriages and receive driving instruction each day. Space is limited. Parent supervision is not required. Pre-registration requested.

Mystical Knights Medieval Faire Fundraiser-September, 12pm. Please join us for a day of medieval fun while helping support a great cause. A great time for all ages, something for everyone to see. Exhibits, period entertainment, vendors, food, silent and penny auctions and raffles to benefit the Carriage Barn Therapeutic Programs.

Halloween Horse Show & Carriage Classic-October, 12pm. Fun carriage driving and horseback riding shows with a fall/Halloween theme. Prizes awarded for costumed turnout as well as fun events. The shows are open to all ages and ability levels. Proceeds benefit Carriage Barn's Therapeutic Programs.

Driving Clinic with Lisa Singer-November, 12pm. Ms. Singer is multiple Triple Crown of Driving Winner, multi time National Pairs Driving Champion, Coach of the World Singles Team and the first woman to win National Pairs Championship. She connects this sometimes thought "elitist" sport with a wider world of horse people. Private lesson format. Auditors welcome.

It's A Zoo-Charmingfare Farm, Route 27, Candia. May 1-September 30, 10am-4pm, daily; October-April, 11am-6pm, weekends. Largest collection of agricultural animals and North American wildlife in NH. The farm is home to over 200 animals and 30 different species. The barnyard area includes all the traditional agricultural animals you would expect to see on a farm. Hands-on petting area. Follow the paths into the woods and you will encounter our wildlife exhibits, featuring many of North America's greatest predators. Admission \$11/person, under one year free; pony rides, \$3/pony ride; horse drawn hayride, \$3/ride; tractor train ride, \$3/ride. Picnic tables are placed throughout the farm so be sure to pack a lunch. Available for family reunions, birthday parties, company outings, etc. The farm offers day camps and horseback riding instruction. 483-5623, www.visitthefarm.com.

Annual Alpaca Shearing Day-Someday Farm, 65 Pickard Road, Canterbury. May 5, 9am-1pm. See first hand the process of shearing a small herd of alpacas. Participate in the gathering and sorting of fleeces and

holding animals for shearing, teeth and toenail trims. Coffee, donuts and lunch served. Call to reserve your space. 783-9436, somedayfarmNH@aol.com, www.somedayfarm.com

31st NH Sheep & Wool Festival-Hopkinton State Fairgrounds, Contoocook. May 12, 9am-5pm; May 13, 9am-4pm. All things related to fiber, workshops, demonstrations, sheep shearing, dog trials, sheep breed displays, sheep to shawl contest, fleece judging and sale, youth shows, used equipment sale. Over 150 vendors. Sheep, goats, alpacas, llamas, bunnies: anything that produces a fleece. Something for everyone, from beginners to experienced to just wanting to see some cute animals. 744-3851, tinyfarm@metrocast.net, www.yankeeshepherd.org.

NH Dairy Goat Association Spring Show-4-H Fairgrounds, Route 13, New Boston. June 2, 9am-5pm. Competition of seven breeds of dairy goats and recorded grades. Senior does, milkers, are shown first, followed by the junior doe competition. Shows are sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association. Everyone is welcome, no entry fee, no dogs. 673-8426, foxspride@aol.com.

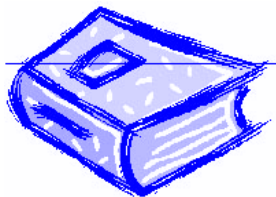
NH Arabian Annual Horse Show-Deerfield Fairgrounds, Deerfield. August 10-12, 8:30am. Annual horse show includes classes for Arabians, half Arabians and NSH. Classes involve in-hand, under saddle and dressage. 625-8012, abalch@comcast.net.

Moosilauke Mutt Show-Warren Town Square, Warren. September 22, 1pm. Mutt show for the common dog, costume contest, all breed confirmation and obstacle course, trick contest, old mutt of the mountain parade, parade of champions and award ceremony. A rabies certificate update is a must. 764-9949, cnsr@adelphia.net.

Maze Fun

Corn Maze-Beans & Greens Farmstand, 245 Intervale Road, Gilford. End of August, 10am-5pm, daily; Fridays & Saturdays, 8-10pm. Largest corn maze in the central New Hampshire area. Reservations suggested. Fright nights on Columbus Day weekend, extended hours. 293-2853, beansandgreensfarm@msn.com, www.beansandgreensfarm.com.

Beech Hill Farm Corn Mazes-107 Beech Hill, Hopkinton. August 1-October 31, 11am-dusk. An educational, fun way to spend an afternoon! Three corn mazes using three different themes covering 14 acres of picturesque NH farm land. Visit our ninth generation family farm at a beautiful historic homestead. 223-0828, RMKimball@emailmv.com, www.beechhillfarm.com.



Museums & Historic Sites; Farm & Special Events

Monthly Programs-Old Carroll County Courthouse, Route 17, 20 Court House Square, Ossipee. April-September, third Tuesday, 7pm. Brief business meeting followed by a 45 minute program with an historical theme. 539-8669, nh.puffs@adelphia.net.

Sheridan House Museum-391 Back Ashuelot Road, Ashuelot. May-October, 9am-12pm Wednesdays; 2-4pm Sundays. The museum is housed in a Victorian home extensively remodeled in 1901-1915 in the cottage style as popularized by R. Downing. Winchester memorabilia on display. The Carriage house, undergoing restoration, houses antique fire engines. Weekly program, Sunday Afternoon at the Sheridan, features local craftspersons, artists, musicians, etc. Event schedule is on the web site. 239-7399/4211/6350, dbd@cheshire.net, <http://userpages.cheshire.net/~dbd/index.htm>.

Sanbornton Historical Society's Lane Tavern-Sanbornton Village Square, 520 Sanbornton Road, Route 132. Organized in 1952, the Sanbornton Historical Society has its headquarters in the Lane Tavern, a 19th century drover's inn and stage coach stop on the old Boston to Montreal road. The society holds its meetings at the tavern on the first Wednesday of the month from April to October at 7pm followed by programs that are open to the public free of charge. 286-9590, info@lanetavern.org, www.lanetavern.org.

Looking Back at the Laconia State School 1901-1991-May 2, presenter Gordon Dubois.

Tour of the Tobin's Waterloom Gardens-June 6, 6:30pm, presenter Faith Tobin, Knox Mountain Road.

Annual Flea Market-June 16.

Farmers' Market-June 29-October 5, 3-6pm, Fridays.

Lane Tavern Tours & Open House-July-October, first Friday, 3-6pm.

Early American Blacksmithing-July 11, presenter Steve Ober.

NH's Cincinnatus: General John Stark-August 1, presenter Richard C. Wright, a Colonial interpreter.

Sanbornton Farmers Folly-August 4, 7pm. A variety show in the Town Hall.

Heritage Harvest Supper-A Taste of New Hampshire-August 25, 6pm.

Genealogy Research Using Local Resources-September 5, presenter Cab Vinton.

Annual Meeting and Dinner-October 3, 6pm.

Christmas Wreath & Craft Sale-December 1, 9am-3pm.

Whitefield Historical Society Museum-22 King Square, downstairs in Laconia Savings Bank. May 3-September 27, Thursdays, 2-4pm. Features displays on various facets of life in Whitefield over the years. 837-2466.

North Road Schoolhouse Museum-Corner of North Road & Forbes Mountain Road, Danbury. Tours, May 6, June 3, July 1, August 5, September 2, October 7, 2-5pm. Come visit this 1853 red one-room schoolhouse, filled with historical displays and photos, located on the

corner of North Road and Forbes Mountain Road in Danbury. 768-3603, bonfletcher@yahoo.com.

Remick Country Doctor Museum & Farm Events & Workshops-58 Cleveland Hill Road, Tamworth. Admission is free to all special events, donations are accepted. 686-6117, www.remickmuseum.org.

Genealogy Classes-monthly research classes with in-depth instruction by Ms. Gerry Eldridge, Curator, and Ms. Winnie Mitchell, Assistant Curator. Learn how to pursue your family history using town vital records, genealogy books and the internet. Classes are held on the first Wednesday of every month. Call ahead to register for this exciting educational program.

Hearthside Dinners-April 28, September 29, October 13, December 15, 5-7pm. Experience the warmth and charm of an early 19th century Hearthside Dinner, where the meal is cooked entirely on an open hearth. The staff, dressed in traditional 19th century attire, prepare a nourishing meal using historic recipes and ingredients preserved fresh from the harvest. The menu for each meal varies, the ingredients were raised on site. Usually a cozy gathering of eight people, designed for adult audiences. Youth age 16 and up are welcome with an adult. Reserve your place at the table. Fee is \$25 per person. Registration closes two days prior to an event.

Beginning Oxen Workshop-May 5-6. Taught by internationally renowned Dr. Drew Conroy and Tim Huppe. Instruction in yokes, yoking, driving commands, driving and hitching, feeding, care and conditioning with oxen. Day two of the workshop: obstacle course and instruction on selecting your own team of oxen. Saturday evening: Hearthside Dinner, slide show and round table discussion with Dr. Conroy. The workshop is open to both novices and experienced teamsters. The fee is \$300 and includes breakfast, lunch and dinner on Saturday, and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. Children ages 10 and up are welcome with a participating parent. The fee for children is \$150. Friends of the Remick Museum receive a 10 percent discount.

Cheese Making-May 12, 10am-12pm. Learn an easy recipe to make mozzarella cheese. We will make our cheese using goat's milk and cow's milk. Children age 14 and up welcome with a parent in attendance.

Children's Fishing Derby-May 20, 10am-12pm. Children 15 years and under are welcome with parental supervision. Bring your own bait and tackle. Sponsored by Bearcamp Valley Sportsmen's Club. Rhubarb-June 2, 10am-12pm. Hardy rhubarb is one of the earliest treats of warm weather. Learn some of the uses for rhubarb, some traditional, some trendy, all delicious.

Traditional Tea-June 10, 3pm. Captain Enoch Remick House, 26 Great Hill Road, Tamworth Village.

Ox & Rocks-June 16, 10am-2pm.

Mustard & Ketchup-July 14, 10am-12pm. Today most folks are familiar with only one kind of ketchup-tomato! Up to the end of the 19th century, many different types of ketchup were commonplace. Learn how to prepare two of the most popular ketchups, cranberry and cucumber. It is easy to also make mustard.

Jams & Conserve-August 11, 10am-12pm. Using local fruits of the season, make delicious jams and conserve. Learn simple canning methods to store and preserve your creations.

Captain Enoch Remick House Open House-August 11, 1-4pm, 26 Great Hill Road, Tamworth Village.

Relish-September 8, 10am-12pm. A great relish begins with a walk in the garden to pick the ingredients. Pre-

pare some Remick Piccalilly, a delicious relish recipe used by country nurse and Remick Foundation Trustee, the late, Earline Wright.

Harvest Festival-September 15, 1-4pm.

Pumpkins-October 27, 10am-12pm. Prepare a noon time meal using pumpkins from the Remick Farm. Learn about storing pumpkins, and discover the many delights made from this underused garden gem.

Logging with Oxen Workshop-November 3-4. This workshop offered by Dr. Drew Conroy and Tim Huppe provides hands-on instruction to experienced ox teamsters in the art of harvesting woodlots. The workshop includes history of oxen in the forest, proper felling and limbing, conditioning and training oxen for woods work, landing and decking logs, and much more. Participants will work on a logging site on the Remick property, and handle cattle and equipment during the course of the workshop. The fee is \$350, and includes breakfast, lunch and Hearthside Dinner on Saturday, and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. Friends of the Remick Museum receive a 10 percent discount. The workshop is limited to 15 adults.

Historic Thanksgiving-November 10, 1-4pm.

Soap Making-November 17, 10am-12pm. Learn the step by step process to make a basic lye soap. Learn the history of soap making on the farm, and render your own tallow.

Gingerbread Houses-December 1, 10am-12pm. This workshop can be enjoyed by a child and adult team. Assemble and decorate your gingerbread house, after receiving written directions beforehand to bake the gingerbread pieces at home.

Victorian Christmas-December 9, 1-4pm. Remick Museum, 58 Cleveland Hill Road and the Captain Enoch Remick House, 26 Great Hill Road, Tamworth Village.

Dorchester Historical Society Museum Open House-On the Common, Dorchester. May 27-October 7, 2-4pm, Sundays. Housed in the former North District School House, which was erected in 1808 in the town of Dorchester. Featured in the museum are the original schoolmaster's desk, many other school related items, an extensive collection of Town reports and maps and numerous other interesting artifacts. 523-7136/786-9954.

The Fort at No. 4 Events-267 Springfield Road, Charlestown. 826-5700, info@fortat4.com, www.fortat4.com.

Revolutionary War Encampment-June 2-3, 10am-4:30pm. British regulars and American militia will be on hand to present camp life and battle scenarios. Battles are scheduled for 2pm on Saturday and 1pm on Sunday. Be sure to visit Sutler Row for 18th century reproductions for sale. Admission charged.

Living History Camp-July 9-13, 16-20, 23-27, August 13-17, 9am-4pm. Children will learn a variety of aspects of life during the 1740s during this hands on interactive camp series. 18th century crafts, chores, food preparation, games and more will engage children throughout these fun filled weeks. Cost per week \$175.

Children's Weekend at Fort No. 4-July 21-22, 10am-4:30pm. Children of the Fort will be on hand to demonstrate the day to day life of children in colonial America. 18th century children's games will entertain, while crafts will fuel the imagination.

Admission charged. Rain or shine.

250th French & Indian War Commemoration-August 4-5, 10am-4:30pm. The battle cry has sounded! British and French troops along with Native Americans from across the United States and Canada will gather to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the French and Indian War. Battles scheduled for 2pm on Saturday and 1pm on Sunday. Admission charged.

Stark's Muster-October 6-7, 10am-4:30pm. General Stark and his men gather to prepare for their march to Bennington. Join us for drills, historical talks, genealogy and more. Sponsored by the NH Sons of the American Revolution. Admission charged. Rain or shine.

Pickpockets, Rogues & Highwaymen-October 27, 5-9pm. Join us for 18th century all hallows eve event. Activities include a treasure hunt for children, horse drawn wagon rides and more. Admission charged. Rain or shine.

Rogers Return-October 27-28, 10am-4:30pm. We close out our season with the story of Robert Rogers and his rangers returning from the St. Francis Raid. Admission charged. Rain or shine.

Thanksgiving Day Celebration!-November 22, 12pm & 4pm. Join us for our annual Thanksgiving Dinner! Two sittings available, advance reservations and payment required.

Seasonal Exhibits-Sugar Hill Historical Museum, Route 117, Sugar Hill. June 9-October 13, Thursday-Saturday, 1-4pm. 823-8431/5336. harwrw@aol.com, www.franconianotch.org.

Museum Opens-June 9, 1-4pm. Main exhibit Carriage Barn, Cobleigh Tavern Kitchen, art exhibits, sleigh shed.

Children's History Day-September 29.

Sugar Hill Artisan's Guild-first & third Saturday of each month, except for the month of December, 10am-2pm, Carolina Crapo Memorial Building.

Hill Historical Society Open House-265 Murray Hill Road, Hill. June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, 9am-3pm. Visitors can view items in the archives and learn about local history from a self guided wall panel display, which includes the moving of the Village of Hill to allow construction of a federal flood control project. Historical publications are available for sale and members are available to answer questions. Membership includes receipt of a mailed newsletter, but is not required to view the archives during the Open House events. 934-3751, MrsMcD2003@comcast.net.

American Independence Festival-American Independence Museum, downtown Exeter. July 21, 10am-5pm. This popular celebration of American independence features visits from Thomas Jefferson and George Washington as well as troop encampments. A procession through downtown Exeter with General George Washington and his junior regiment will lead you to a public reading of the Declaration of Independence. Join us after for the official dedication of the newly restored Folsom Tavern. The day's activities include an opportunity to view the original Dunlap broadside of the Declaration of Independence and early drafts of the US Constitution, a traditional New Hampshire artisans village, a barnyard exhibit, children's activity area, historic role players, fireworks, and much, much more. 772-2622, info@independencemuseum.org, www.independencemuseum.org.

Harvest Festival-American Independence Museum, downtown Exeter. October 13, 10am-4pm. The second annual harvest festival continues AIM's annual focus on 18th century textiles with a display and demonstrations of historic needlecraft. Meet Abraham Lincoln and New Hampshire's own Sarah Josepha Hale, the people who made Thanksgiving a national holiday! Children's activities, food demonstrations,

and autumn decorations in the museum create a festive atmosphere. Live music, food and more! 772-2622, info@independencemuseum.org, www.independencemuseum.org.

Merry Christmas Open House-Grafton Historical Museum, Route 4, Library Road, Grafton. December 9, 2-4pm. Museum opened on Saturdays starting in April-October. Historical artifacts. 523-7522.

Seasonal Festivals

May Day Celebration-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. May 5, 9am-5pm (rain date May 12). May pole, May wine making, food, crafts and fun. Greenhouse will be full of herbs, perennial, scented geranium and vegetable plants. No admission fee. 542-1746, poisonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com.

New Hampshire Sheep & Wool Festival-Hopkinton Fairgrounds, Contoocook. May 12, 9am-5pm, Saturday; May 13, 9am-4pm, Sunday. Come see all things fiber related. Sheep, goats, alpacas, llamas, rabbits, camels. Shows, demonstrations, workshops, fleece to shawl contests, fleece auctions and more. Vendors for equipment, crafts, food, lifestyle and animals. Fun for the whole family. Accessible, plenty of indoor and outdoor activities. 744-3851, tinyfarm@metrocast.net, www.yankeeshpherd.org.

See You There Fair!-Thyme & Ewe Farm, 688 Chestnut Street, Claremont. June 16 & 17, 9am-6pm. Food, fun and frivolity! Flea market finds and antiques. Greenhouse full of herbs, perennial, vegetable and bedding plants, demonstrations. Story Book Trail and free farm tours. No admission. 542-1746, poisonsheep1@aol.com, www.thymeandewefarm.com.

Festival du Bois-Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin. July 28, 12-6pm. Festival of the Woods celebrates the area's French-Canadian heritage with a day of food, music, arts and crafts, games and other festival activities for the entire family. Narrated boat rides will be available, weather permitting. 752-7202, heritage@ncia.net, www.northernforesterheritage.org.

Old Time Fair-Depot Street at Junction NH 4 & 11, Andover. August 5, 9am-2pm. Antique tractor parade, magician, folk music group, kids games, auction, flea market. 735-5040, ahs@andoverhistory.org, www.andoverhistory.org.

Peach Harvest Festival-Applecrest Farm Orchard, 133 Exeter Road, Hampton Falls. August 19, 11am-5pm. Pick your own peaches, apples and pumpkins. Live bluegrass music, petting zoo, horse drawn hay rides, tractor rides, corn roast, pie eating contests, bakery, gift shop, retail store for purchases of fruits and vegetables. Cider donuts and hot apple pies. 926-3721, peteapplescrest@comcast.net, www.applecrestfarm.com.

Apple Harvest Festival-Applecrest Farm Orchard, 133 Exeter Road, Hampton Falls. Every Saturday & Sunday, September-October, 12-5pm. Pick your own apples and pumpkins, live bluegrass music, petting zoo, horse drawn hay rides, tractor rides, corn roast, pie eating contests, bakery, gift shop, retail for purchases, fruits and vegetables, cider donuts, hot apple pies! 926-3721, peteapplescrest@comcast.net, www.applecrestfarm.com.

Apple Harvest Festival-Apple Hill Farm, 580 Mountain Road, Concord. September 8-9, October 6-7, 11am-3pm. Celebrate the apple harvest! Pick your own and ready

picked in the farm stand. Samples and recipes available. Take a hike, enjoy the weekend! Bus tours encouraged and welcomed. 224-8862, applehill@fbconnectu.net, www.applehillfarmnh.net.

NatureFest 2007-Gould Hill Orchards, 656 Gould Hill Road, Contoocook. September 8-9, 12-5pm. Annual family fun educational outdoor and indoor event held rain or shine. Special exhibits and programs, hayrides, trail walks, hands on children's activities, museum tours. 746-6121, nature-museum@conknet.com.

Pumpkin Festivals-Charmingfare Farm, Route 27, Candia. September 29-30, October 6-8, 13-14, 11am-3pm. It's pumpkin pickin' time! Fall is the best time of year to visit our farm with your family and friends. Friendly scarecrows will help your children pick a perfect pumpkin from our Great Pumpkin Patch. Lots of fall fun! No reservations required. \$11/person, under one year free. 483-5623, www.visitthefarm.com.

24th Annual Harvest Festival-Meadow Ledge Farm, 612 Route 129, Loudon. October 6-8, 9am-6pm. Apple picking, weekend tractor rides, live entertainment, apple bobbing, kids games, homemade cider donuts, pumpkins, gift shop, pies, picnic tables. Free admission. Rain or shine, 798-5860, nhapples@aol.com.

Song, Dance & Theater

Wolfeboro Folk Concert Series-Tumbledown Farms, 295 Wentworth Road, Brookfield. April 26, May 3, 17. Folk music series. 522-8800, Kelly@tumbledownfarms.com, www.wolfeborofolk.com.

D Acres of New Hampshire-Streeter Woods Road, Dorchester. 786-2366, www.dacres.org.

Princess Mononoke Film-May 4, 7pm. This highly original film presents relations between man and nature in an usually beautiful and creative format.

A Silent Forest Film-August 3, 7pm. The developing threats to humans and the environment posed by genetically engineered trees are presented in this film.

Great Waters Music Festival-Brewster Academy, Wolfeboro. 569-7710, info@greatwaters.org, www.greatwaters.org.

13th Summer Concert Series Opener-July 14, 8pm. Larry Gatlin & the Gatlin Brothers perform in an acoustic tent on the beautiful shores of Lake Winnepesaukee.

Choral Workshops-July 18, 10am-9pm. A full day of choral workshops and vocal clinics including one for Dinner Theater for community choruses.

Masterworks Chorus & Symphony Orchestra-July 21, 8pm. Performing in an acoustic tent on the beautiful shores of Lake Winnepesaukee. Classical Poulenc Gloria; Verdi's Triumphant March from Aida; chorale and solo medley of Gershwin's Porgy and Bess; plus soulful spirituals arranged by John Rutter entitled Feel the Spirit.

6th Annual Folk Festival-August 3-5. Multi-day, multi-venue festival. Includes a songwriting contest, songwriting workshop, food, trolley and boat shuttles, local campgrounds available. Main stage Friday and Saturday evening performances are in an acoustic tent on the beautiful shores of Lake Winnepesaukee.

12th Annual Summer Sing-August 18, 10am-9pm. If you like to sing, this event is for you. You are the chorus! Open to all singers. Social barbecue follows.

3rd Annual Jazz Festival-August 25, 7pm. Eldar Djangi-

rov, Artie Shaw Orchestra, Peabody Ragtime Ensemble perform in an acoustic tent.

Sprightly Steps-NH's Contra & Square Dancing Traditions-Warren Town Hall, Warren. April 18, 7pm. Dancing traditions of New England. Display of instruments, pictures, dance cards, etc. Live fiddle music. You may bring anything on this subject for display if you would like to share. Tables will be available. Adam R. Boyce, presenter. 764-9949.

Music-by-the-Sea Outdoor Concert Series-Seacoast Science Center, Odiorne Point State Park, 570 Ocean Boulevard, Rye. July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2, 9, 6-9pm. Some of New England's favorite bands perform, rain or shine (under tent if rains). Thursday evenings, gates open 5pm. Food available for purchase. Children under 12 free. Center open during all concerts. 436-8043, k.provazza@seacentr.org, www.seacoastsciencecenter.org.

Unusual & Special Events

Tour New Hampshire's Only Round Barn-425 Route 10, Piermont. Anytime, by appointment or request. Guided or self tour of 16 sided round barn built in 1906. 272-9026/5854, www.whitemountainbiz.com.

Frye's Measure Mill Gift Shop & Tour-12 Frye Mill Road, Wilton. Year round, Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm; Sunday, 12-5pm, January-March, call for winter hours. Shaker & Colonial boxmakers since 1858, seven room shop is filled with country furnishings, folk art, lighting, tin, iron, pewter, glass, pottery, antiques and collectibles. Mill tours of our water powered woodworking shop on Saturdays at 2pm, June-October. Admission \$4.75/person. 654-6581, fryesmill@tiac.net, www.fryesmeasuremill.com.

New Hampshire School of Falconry-183 Deering Center Road, Deering. Seasonally, April-December. Touch the wild in a way you never dreamed possible! Come learn to fly a hawk yourself, or bring your family/group to a flight demonstration, regularly scheduled May through October. Bring your camera and meet amazingly beautiful raptors up close. Reservations required. 464-6213, falconers@comcast.net, www.nhschooloffalconry.com.

Grand Opening of Fairy House Village with Tracy Kane-Prescott Farm Audubon Center, 888 White Oaks Road, Laconia. April 14, 1-2:30pm. All ages are encouraged to join us in opening our minds and imaginations to the world of fairy houses. Tracy Kane, author of the fairy house series, will be here to share her stories. After the reading we will have our grand opening of our fair house village! You're welcome to bring any natural materials for constructing your own fairy house. 366-5695, cnewberry@nhaudubon.org, www.nhaudubon.org.

D Acres of New Hampshire-Streeter Woods Road, Dorchester. 786-2366, www.dacres.org.

Pot Luck-May 18, September 16, October 26, November 25, 6-9pm.

Volunteer Days-May 27, June 24, July 29, August 26, September 30, October 28, 10am-4pm.

Come lend a hand. Call to confirm.

Straw Clay Insulation at Stinson Lake-May 19 & 20, June 2 & 3, 9am-4pm. Practical workshop. Fabrication of clay and woodchip insulation in a new timber frame construction. Admission \$24.

SPNHF Presentation on Quabbin to Cardigan Conservation Plan-June 1, 7pm.

Chipper Vegetable Oil Conversion-June 2, 10am-4pm. Join us and learn the process as we convert our diesel wood chipper to run on waste vegetable oil. Admission \$36.

Solstice Potluck-June 22, 6-9pm.

Treehouse Building-June 23, 11am-1pm. Review existing structures and help build the latest. Admission \$28.

Climate Change Effect on NH-July 6, 7pm. Jan Pendlebury lecturing and discussion of how climate change is relevant to New Hampshire.

Household Firewood Production-July 7, 2-4pm. Methods to increase productivity and safety by hand.

Herbal First Aid Salve-September 5, 6-8pm. Make and take a healing salve made from herbs grown on-site.

Full Moon Potluck-July 29, 6-9pm.

Timberframe Clothesline-October 6, 10am-6pm. Join timber framer Bryan Felice for a day of construction. Materials provided. Fees \$25 plus materials fee.

Apple Cider Making-October 7, 2-4pm. Make delicious cider from local apples.

Beer Brewing-October 13, 1-6pm. Join Neighbor Jon as we concoct a brew with our own hops. Admission \$28.

Solstice Party-December 22, 6-9pm.

3rd Annual "The Way That Life Used To Be"-Oak Park, Greenfield. June 9, 9am-2pm, June 10 raindate. Steam engine, double lugger, antique cars, tractors, trucks, bread oven, blacksmith, flea market, craft tables, antique fire truck, confederate soldiers, food served. Also planning cloggers, step dancers, band. 547-2759, djwn3738@worldpath.net.

Viewings of the Maxfield Parrish Stage Set-Plainfield Town Hall, Route 12A, Plainfield. July-August, 1-5pm, Sundays. View the lighted stage set designed by artist Maxfield Parrish in 1916. Lecture and exhibits, gift shop. Admission \$1 to preserve the stage set. 675-6866, plfdlib@mvgalaxy.com.

Boatbuilding Course-The Community School, South Tamworth. July 23-August 3, all day. Learn to build an historical lapstrake canoe-a lightweight, one person craft-with master boat builder, Geoffrey Burke. In 10 days, the class will produce two canoes from beginning to end, one of which will be raffled off to one of the course participants. Tuition, \$1,000. Some financial aid is available. 323-7000, jennyrowe@communityschoolnh.org, www.communityschoolofnh.org.

Open Farm Day at Bonnie Brae-601 Daniel Webster Highway, Plymouth. August 19, 10am-4pm. Join the hundreds who visit the farm on our annual Open Farm Day. Guided walking tours will take you close to the over 300 Red deer that call our farm home. You will learn about the history and care of these majestic animals. Try samples of low fat, low cholesterol farm raised venison. The tours and samples are free, and venison will be available for purchase. 536-3880, admin@bonniebraefarms.com, www.bonniebraefarms.com.

NH Ag Day-Someday Farm, 65 Pickard Road, Canterbury. August 18-19, 10am-4pm, both days. Come out to our farm and enjoy a small piece of rural farm life, to promote agriculture and fiber, pick your own produce, feed dwarf goats and alpacas, demonstrations and farm store. Beverages and snacks available. 783-9436, somedayfarmNH@aol.com, www.somedayfarm.com.

Winemaking with Grapes & Elderberry-D Acres of New Hampshire, Streeter Woods Road, Dorchester. September

16, 1-3pm. Ferment our fruit to preserve the harvest. Admission \$24. 786-2366, www.dacres.org.

Lamson Farm Day-Mont Vernon. September 29, 10am-4pm. Crafts, demonstrations, exhibits, pony rides, antique tractors, black powder shoot, hot dogs, hamburgers, children's games. Best barbecue in the area, \$9/adults, under 12, \$5. Free admission. 673-0493, ktyhwk@adelphia.net.

Harvest Supper & Program-Warren Village School, 386 Lake Tarleton Road, Warren. October 13, 5-6pm. Red Flannel hash, Appalachian Adventure with speaker Nancy Chandler. 764-9949, cnssr@adelphia.net.

Annual Holiday Tour & Farm Event-Someday Farm, 65 Pickard Road, Canterbury. November 23-25, December 1-2, 10am-4pm, both weekends. See and feed animals. Enjoy our barn and farm store, decorated for the holiday season. Sip hot cocoa while listening to holiday tunes, wafting through the barn. Photo opportunities. Alpaca products and NH made products on our farm for the last minute shopping. 783-9436, somedayfarmNH@aol.com, www.somedayfarm.com.

Hometown Holiday Parade-Downtown Plymouth. December 1, 5pm. Parade features bands, floats, trucks, animals and children all decked out for the holiday season. Santa arrives via a fire truck at the end of the parade. Following the parade, youngsters and their parents are invited to visit with Santa and enjoy some hot cocoa at the Plymouth Regional Senior Center. 536-1001, info@plymouthnh.org, www.plymouthnh.org.

Vineyards/Wineries

Guided Tours-Candia Vineyards, 702 High Street, Candia. Ongoing. Agricultural tours of the vineyard and pruning demonstrations. Please call ahead for convenient times, appointments only, as we provide very technical and complete tours. 867-9751, bob@candiavineyards.com, www.candiavineyards.com.

Wine Tasting-Jewell Towne, South Hampton. May-December, 11am-4pm, Wednesday-Friday; 12-5pm, Saturday & Sunday. Premium NH made wines on our gorgeous rural vineyard setting. Producing red, white and rose wine since 1994. Learn about the winemaking process from vine to bottle on our guided tours and enjoy a complimentary wine tasting to discover the premium wines that are made from New Hampshire grapes. Take a stroll through the vineyard, or visit the rustic post and beam tasting room and our second floor art gallery. Free tours and complimentary tastings. 394-0600, info@jewelltownevineyards.com, www.jewelltownevineyards.com.

Wine Tasting & Tour Dinners-Flag Hill Winery & Distillery, Route 155, Lee. June-October, Fridays, 6:30pm; November-May, Saturdays, 6pm, both by reservation only. Flag Hill hosts an evening dining experience like no other. Begin with some wine tasting and a tour with owner Frank Reinhold, Jr., followed by a delectable dinner by Chef Ted McCormack. Monthly changing menus highlight ingredients from local farmers and producers. Come enjoy how fresh and wonderful "low mileage" food can taste! Call 659-2949, dinners@flaghill.com, www.flaghill.com/ferguson-davis.

New Hampshire Winery Association is a collective group of wine, cider, mead and fruit wine growers, producers and others devoted to the New Hampshire wine industry. Visit their web site for a listing of member wineries and information about upcoming events and activities. www.nhwineryassociation.com.

NH Farmers' Markets

New Hampshire Farmers' Markets offer the colorful and tasty bounty of local farms and gardens all season long. Enjoy the friendly, open air market atmosphere while shopping for fresh vegetables, fruits, flowers, locally prepared foods and specialty items. There are many convenient Farmers' Markets located throughout the state. For variety, quality, value and the chance to chat with local farmers, visit a New Hampshire Farmers' Market this season!

Amherst Farmers' Market: Amherst Village Green. June 7-October 11, Thursdays, 2:30-6:30pm. Fresh produce, fruit, fish, flowers, lamb, beef, chicken, eggs, cheese, milk, baked goods, maple syrup, honey, wine, Greek food, artisan breads, wool and agricultural crates. Rain or shine, 249-9809, grdnprty1@aol.com, www.amherstfarmersmarket.org.

Barrington Farmers' Market: Rts. 9 & 125, across from Calef's Country Store. May-October, Saturdays, 9am-1pm. Produce, flowers, plants, specialty sauces, salsas and strawberries. 749-0377.

Bedford Farmers' Market: Wallace Rd. to Benedictine Park. June 19-October 17, Tuesdays, 3-6pm. Certified organic and conventional vegetables, fruit, baked goods, flowers, fish, eggs, jams, jellies, maple products, wine, specialty foods, milk, soap, lotions and yarn. Musicians; decorate pumpkins; trick or treat at the market; July 4 celebration. Rain or shine, 472-5660/6663, cmoser03110@yahoo.com, dsklar1@comcast.net, www.bedfordfarmersmarket.com.

Canaan Farmers' Market: Rts. 4 & 118, on the park downtown Canaan. June 24-October 7, Sundays, 11am-2pm. Vendor grown and produced agricultural products and fine crafts. "Primavera" markets, May 27 & June 3; Harvest Market, October 7. 523-4337, kushnerwood@valley.net, www.townofcanaan.us.

Canterbury Community Farmers' Market: Canterbury Center. June-October, Wednesdays, 4-7pm. Vegetables, plants, flowers, herbs, maple products, honey, milk, eggs, apples, cider, jams, jellies, condiments, fresh meats, flour and yarns. Rain or shine, 783-3321, drew.hoffman@verizon.net.

Claremont Farmers' Market: Broad Street Park. June 7-September 27, Thursdays, 4-7pm. Bread, baked goods, dairy, eggs, farm fresh produce, flowers, fudge, herbs, honey, jams, jellies, maple syrup, meat, plants, seeds, soap and other specialty products. Free entertainment and children's activities are provided. Ample free parking. Rain or shine, 543-1296, claremontmarket@aol.com, www.claremontmarket.org.

Colebrook Farmers' Market: 84 Colby St. July-October, Saturdays, 8am-12pm. Vegetables, fruits, baked goods, wool yarn, crafts, maple and apples. Rain or shine, 237-4430.

Farmers Market on Main Street: Main St., Colebrook. June 30-October, Saturdays, 8-11am. Herbal preparations, fruits, vegetables, eggs, plants, cards, poetic cards, maple syrup, wool, bakery products, preserves, knitting and crafts. 237-4395, haynes18@netzero.net.

Concord Farmers' Market: Capitol St. June 2-October 27, Saturdays, 8:30am-12pm. Fresh NH fruits, vegetables, plants, baked goods, jams, maple, wine, meat, honey, crafts and worms for composting. Rain or shine, 796-2654.

Contoocook Farmers' Market: Main St. at Contoocook Train Depot. June 30-Columbus Day, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Vegetables, including organic, maple syrup, eggs, pies, jams, jellies, plants, meat, soap, cut flowers and granola. Live mu-

sic, bi-weekly; Railroad Museum on site. Rain or shine, 746-2874, planetloft@comcast.net.

Cornish Farmers' Market: Rt. 120, Meetinghouse Green, Cornish Flat. May-October, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Seasonal vegetables, fruits, maple syrup products, plants, wood-fired breads, pastries, cakes, meats-grass fed, crafts. Book sale; apple and pumpkin fests. 542-6323.

Davisville Farmers' Market: 909 East Rt. 103, Warner. June-October, Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, 10am-3pm. Vegetables, potatoes, grain, crafts and baked goods. 995-1345.

Deerfield Farmers' Market: Deerfield Fair Grounds. June-October, Fridays, 3-7pm. Fresh fruits, vegetables, meat, baked goods, jams, jellies, salsas, wool, maple syrup. Petting zoo, music, face painting. Rain or shine, 463-8812, cdh1@metrocast.net, www.farmersmarket.deerfield-nh.us.

Enfield Farmers' Market: US Rt. 3, Huse Park. Late-June-early-October, Wednesdays, 3-6pm. Fruits, vegetables, maple, soap, eggs, jams, jellies, chicken, honey. Weekly entertainment. 632-7197, EVA@interdial.net, www.enfieldmainstreet.org.

Franklin Community Farmers' Market: Unitarian Church parking lot, 206 Central St. July-October, Tuesdays, 3-6pm. Fruits, vegetables, some organics, all natural meats, honey, herbs, fiber products, jewelry, hand crafted art, preserves and baked goods. Music and demonstrations. Rain or shine, 286-4214/934-3229, kwilkinson@metrocast.net, cindyataylor-midwife@yahoo.com, www.uucfranklin.org/farmersmarket.url.

Gilmanton Farmers' Market: Academy at the Four Corners. July-Late October, Wednesdays, 3-6pm. Vegetables, eggs, lambs, cut flowers, wool, maple, goats' milk cheese, blueberries, raspberries, bread and baked goods. 267-7083, meadowviewfarm@metrocast.net.

Hancock Farmers' Market: in the horse sheds behind the church. Mid-May-mid-October, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Organic vegetables, breads, jams, honey, maple syrup, berries, peace toys, rustic art, perennials, wreathes, fibers, fiber arts and bedding plants. Music, dance, craft demonstrations weekly. Rain or shine, 525-3788, cdaloz@worldpath.net.

Henniker Farmers' Market: Community Park, Main St. July 11-October 10, Wednesdays, 3-6pm. Vegetables, fruits, pork, lamb, maple, honey, breads, pastries, potted house and garden plants, eggs, local handmade crafts. 428-7490, info@hennikerfarmersmarket.us, www.hennikerfarmersmarket.us.

Hillsborough Farmers' Market: Butler Park, corner of Central and Main Sts. Late June-September 15, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Produce, perennials, baked goods, jams, jellies and honey. Rain or shine, 532-6561.

Jackson Farmers' Market: Snowflake Inn field. July 1-Columbus Day, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Produce, meat, maple, flowers, pumpkins and crafts. Rain or shine, 383-9195, chendr7108@aol.com.

The Farmers Market of Keene: commercial parking lot off Gilbo Ave. May-October, Tuesdays and Saturdays, 9am-2pm. Fruits, vegetables, herbs, plants, flowers, maple syrup, honey, baked goods, bread, jams, jellies, eggs, soap and wool products. Rain or shine, 446-9474.

Laconia Farmers' Market: Beacon St. East. June-October, Saturdays, 8:30am-12pm. Vegetables, fruits, baked goods, jams, jellies, flowers, crafts, maple syrup, beef, pork, chicken and organic vegetables. Rain or shine, 267-6522, bpram-say1@aol.com

Lancaster Farmers' Market: Centennial Park. June-October, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Jewelry, wool, herbalist, goats' milk soap, quilter, artist, certified organic produce, fresh local produce, baked goods, pestos, jams, jellies, cut flowers, plants, honey and berries. 788-2669.

Lebanon Farmers' Market: Colburn Park. June-September, Thursdays, 4-7pm. Agricultural products, prepared foods, crafts, breads, vegetables and plants. Local food tasting; community displays. Rain or shine, 448-5121, www.lebcity.com, farmersmarket@lebcity.com.

Lee Farmers' Market: Old fire station, Rt. 155, Lee. Memorial Day-October 1, Thursdays, 3-6pm. Produce, meat, soaps, wool, flowers, plants and baked goods. Various entertainment, education throughout season. 659-9329, leemarket@comcast.net.

Littleton Farmers' Market: Cottage St., Senior Center parking lot. June-October, Sundays, 10am-1pm. Fresh local produce in season, meat, eggs, poultry, maple, preserves, baked goods, prepared foods, perennials, cut flowers, honey, crafts and wood products. Entertainment and demonstrations throughout season. Rain or shine, 444-7777/0248, info@littletonmainstreet.org.

Lower Cohase Farmers' Market: Rt. 302, Woodsville. June 13-October 17, Wednesdays, 2-5pm. Vegetables, flowers, plants, baked goods, crafts and eggs. Rain or shine, 838-6425.

Lyndeborough Farmers' Market: Village Green, Rt. 31. Mid-May-September, Fridays, 3:30-6:30pm. Fruits, vegetables, bedding plants, meats, eggs, baked goods and jams. Rain or shine, 654-5362, kgrybko@aol.com.

Downtown Manchester Farmers' Market: Concord St. & Pine St. June-October, Thursdays, 3-6:30pm. Vegetables, herbs, flowers, melons, apples, wine, soups, bread, cookies, baked goods, prepared foods, strawberries and certified organic products. Music; entertainment; children's events; cooking demonstrations. Rain or shine, 679-8101, charliereid@ttlc.net.

Meredith Village Farmers' Market: Community Park, Main St. July 5-August 30, Thursdays, 2:30-5pm. Fresh locally grown meat, fruits, vegetables, crafts, maple products, baked goods and eggs. 279-9015, gmp1@metrocast.net.

Milford Farmers' Market: TD Banknorth lower lot, South St. Late-June-early-October, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Locally grown fruits, vegetables, flowers, herbs, plants, baked goods, jams, jellies, maple syrup, farm raised elk meat. Rain or shine, 673-5792, mosseyapples@aol.com.

Farmers' Market Association of Nashua: 48 West Hollis St., St. Louis de Gonzague Church parking lot, Nashua. July 10-October 16, Tuesdays, 2-6pm. Fruits, vegetables, bread, syrup and soap. 878-3437, nashuafm.netway.com.

Main Street Bridge Farmers' Market: 53-75 Main Street, Nashua. May-October, Sundays, 10am-3pm. Fresh seasonal fruits, vegetables, goats milk soap, candles, apples, fruit wines and breads. Rain or shine, 878-5700, www.NashuaDowntown.com, sarahd@greatamericandowntown.org.

New Boston Farmers' Market: Town Common at the gazebo, Rt. 13. July-October, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Seasonal produce, eggs, bread, pastries, honey, maple syrup, chicken, beef, herbals, grains, granola, lamb, wool, knits and plants. Rain or shine, 487-3577, newbostonfarmersmarket@yahoo.com, www.newbostonfarmersmarket.org.

New Durham Farmers' Market: Depot Rd., at the Post Office parking lot under the Pines. Mid-May-mid-October, Fridays, 1-6pm. Plants: flowers, vegetable, fruit, shrubs, ornamentals; fresh flowers: arranged and by the stem; relishes, chutneys, condiments, baked goods, maple syrup, locally designed and fired pottery, paintings, garden art and ornaments, handmade wreaths, quilts, soaps, freshly picked fruit in season. Rain or shine, 859-4251, davcrord@metrocast.net.

Newport Farmers' Market: on the common, North Main St. June-October, Fridays, 3-6pm. Fruits, vegetables, flowers, plants, baked goods, meat, wool products, soaps, maple syrup and specialty items. Rain or shine, 863-4847, newportfarmersmarket@adelphia.net

Nottingham Farmers' Market: Blaisdell Memorial Library, 129 Stage Rd. Memorial Day-mid-September, Sundays, 1-4pm. Local produce and plants. Rain or shine, 679-8484, blaisdellml@comcast.net.

Peterborough Farmers' Market: Depot Square Park, Peterborough. May 23-October 4, Wednesdays, 3-6pm. Starter plants, cut flowers, bouquets, perennials, vegetables, eggs, raw milk, chicken, goat meat, maple syrup and products, fresh fish, prepared greek foods, vinegars, baked goods, bread, crafts, knitted sweaters, yarn and fleece. Music each week. 547-2108, greenfieldgardens@verizon.net.

Piermont Farmers' Market: corners of River Road & Rt. 25. June 5-October 30, Tuesdays, 3-7pm. Honey, hot prepared food, produce, milk, eggs, cheese, meats, sausage, plants, cut flowers, baked goods, art, clothing and more. Rain or shine, 802-222-4582, emilygtshipman@hotmail.com.

Pittsfield Farmers' Market: Main St., Dustin Park. June-October, Thursdays, 3-5:30pm. Fresh produce, baked goods, agricultural crafts, organic produce, fruits in season, bread, jams, jellies, soaps, cut flowers, annuals, perennials, herbs and specialty products. Rain or shine, 435-7260, Brenda@organic-growers.com.

Plymouth Community Farmers' Market: 263 Highland St., Community Life Center of the Church of the Holy Spirit. July 21-September 27, Thursday, 3-6pm. Fresh vegetables, meats, plants, herbs, cut flowers, eggs, soaps, yarn, baked goods and farm crafts. Primavera Market, May 24, 3-6pm. Rain or shine, 536-3823, longview175@adelphia.net.

Pride Plantings Market: 4 Corners Antiques Store, Jct. 202A, Estes Rd. & Meaderboro Rd., Rochester. June 7-October 27, Fridays 3-6:30pm, Saturdays 9am-12pm. Berries, fruits, vegetables, plants-annuals, perennials, baked goods, eggs, herbs, jams, jellies, soaps, candles, herbal creams, lotions, cut flowers and meats. Rain or shine, 332-9770.

Sanbornton Farmers' Market: Sanbornton Historical Society's Lane Tavern in Sanbornton Square, Rt. 132. June 29-October 5, Fridays, 3-6pm. Agricultural crafts, baked goods, dairy, free range poultry, meat products, eggs, fiber goods, crafts, flowers, fresh fruits, berries, herbs, honey, jams, jellies, potted plants, processed foods, seeds, syrup, vegetables, wood crafts and products. Local entertainment; fresh produce cooking demonstrations. NH Farmers' Market Week, August 10. Rain or shine, 286-9995/934-5086, sfm@shakerwoodsfarm.com, www.lanetavern.org/sf.htm.

Sandwich Farmers' Market: Samuel H. Wentworth Library, under the Pines. June-Columbus Day, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Produce, maple syrup, baked goods, baskets, crafts, seasonal fruit and more. Rain or shine, 284-7163.

Seacoast Farmers' Markets: Featuring locally grown products, certified organic products, prepared foods, baked goods, arts and crafts. 658-0280.

www.seacoastgrowers.org.

Dover: Henry Law Park, June 7-October 11, Wednesdays, 2:15-5:30pm.

Durham: Pettee Brook Lane parking lot, June 5-October 2, Mondays, 2:15-5:30pm.

Exeter: Swasey Parkway, June 8-October 12, Thursdays, 2:15-5:30pm.

Hampton: Sacred Heart School parking lot, Lafayette Rd., June 6-October 10, Tuesdays, 3-6pm.

Kingston: The Plains, Main St., June 6-October 10, Tuesdays, 2:15-5:30pm.

Portsmouth: City Hall parking lot, Junkins Ave., May 6-November 4, Saturdays, 8am-1pm.

Tamworth Farmers' Market: Unitarian Church, Rt. 113 & Main St. June 30-September, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Vegetables, syrup, honey, eggs, dairy products, meats, bread, goats milk soap, wool, coffee, sandwiches and cut flowers. Rain or shine, 323-2392, farmersmarket@sunnyfield.us.

Tilton Farmers' Market: 5 Prospect St. Memorial Day-Labor Day, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Vegetables, fruits, berries, maple and honey. Rain or shine, 286-4007 ext. 222, tlang@tnmti.com.

Wakefield Farmers' Market: corner of Rt. 16 and Wakefield Rd. opposite of Palmer's Motel. May 26-October 6, Saturdays, 9am-3pm. Local vegetables, fruits in season, baked goods, fudge, plants, pottery, wood, cut flowers, honey, eggs, fiber art. Demonstrations, 10-11am. Rain or shine, 473-8762, www.wakefieldmarketplace.homestead.com.

Weare Farmers' Market: Town Gazebo. June-September, Fridays, 3-6pm. Seasonal produce, fruits, certified organic fresh produce, lamb, pork, chicken, baked goods, certified organic breads, honey, maple syrup, jams, jellies, canned goods, fresh plants, cut flowers, goats milk soaps and lotions. Rain or shine, 529-0782, wearefarmersmarket@hotmail.com

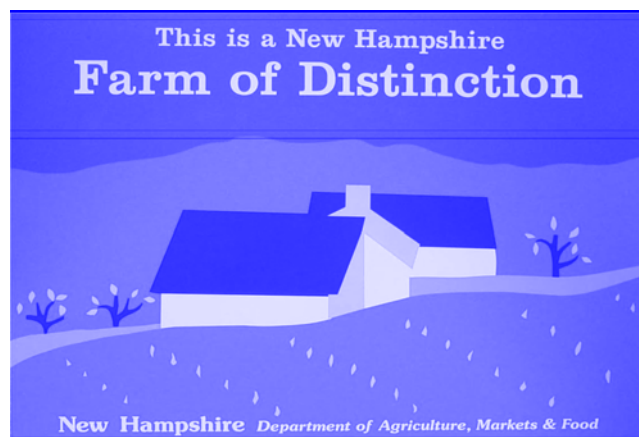
Whitefield Farmers' Market: on the common. June 15-October 15, Fridays, 3-6pm. Flowers, plants, produce, crafts and bakery. Rain or shine, 837-8778, gradual@verizon.net.

Wilmot Farmers' Market: Wilmot Town Green. July-end of September, Saturdays, 9am-12pm. Organic and locally grown produce, meats, honey, syrup, specialty foods, wool products, pottery, baked goods and soaps. Rain or shine, 526-7729, www.wilmotfarmersmarket.com. information@wilmotfarmersmarket.com.

Wolfeboro Area Farmers' Market: 35 Center St. Clarke Plaza. June 21-September 27, Thursdays, 1-5pm. Fresh fruit, vegetables, herbs, cut flowers, meats, dairy products, cheese, eggs, baked goods, honey and maple syrup. Rain or shine, 539-4456, strong1@localnet.com.



Farms of Distinction



In 1997 the NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food introduced a program recognizing those farms that make an effort to keep their busy farm stands neat and attractive. The New Hampshire Farms of Distinction program honors have been awarded to 98 farms to date. Each farm displays an attractive Farms of Distinction sign. For more information about the NH Farms of Distinction program contact the NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food at 271-3788.

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Clear Stream Farm, Errol
Graymist Farm, Groveton
Indian Stream Farm, Pittsburg
Weir Tree Farms, Colebrook

White Mountains Region

Allard Farm, Conway
Glen Farm, Piermont
Hatchland Farm, Haverhill
Maple Hill Farm, Monroe
Minot Farm, Woodsville
Mount Cube Farm, Orford
Mountain Star Farm, Swiftwater
Pete & Gerry's Organic Eggs, Monroe
Sherman Farm, Center Conway
The Rocks Christmas Tree Farm/
Society for the Protection of NH Forests, Bethlehem
West View Farm & Orchard, North Haverhill
Windy Ridge Orchard, North Haverhill

Lakes Region

Ancestral Acres, New Hampton
Beans & Greens Farm, Gilford
Butternut Farm, Farmington
Cornerstone Equestrian Center, Belmont
Duane Family Farm, Barnstead
Heritage Farm, Sanbornton
Longview Farm, Plymouth
Moulton Farm, Meredith
Oak Ledge Farm, Belmont
Punch Brook Farm, Franklin
Ramblin' Vewe Farm, Gilford
Shaker Woods Farm, Sanbornton
Spider Web Gardens, Center Tuftonboro
Surowiec Orchard, Sanbornton
Wayside Farm, North Sandwich

Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region

Ascutney View Farm, West Claremont
Bartlett's Blueberry Farm, Newport

Bickford Homestead Farm, Orford
 Edgewater Farm, Plainfield
 Holmes Dairy, Langdon
 McNamara Dairy/Mac's Happy Acres, Plainfield
 Nunsuch Farm, Bradford
 Riverview Farm, Plainfield
 Sanctuary, Sunapee
 Schroeder Farm, South Newbury
 Springledge Farm, New London
 Sunday Mountain Maple Farm, Orford
 Tadmor Farm, Lebanon
 Taylor Farm/Taylor Bros. Sugarhouse, Meriden
 Tullando Farm, Orford
 Walhowdon Farm, Lebanon

Monadnock Region

Bascom Maple Farms, Acworth
 Boggy Meadow Farm, Walpole
 Clark's Sugarhouse, Langdon
 Davis Brook Farm, Hancock
 Eccardt Farm, East Washington
 Elsesser Blueberry Acres, Acworth
 High Hopes Orchards, Westmoreland
 Homestead Farms, Walpole
 Malnati Farm, Walpole
 Maple Homestead Farm, Marlborough
 New Fields Farm, Temple
 Pitcher Mountain Farm, Stoddard
 Putnam Brothers Farm, Charlestown
 Rosaly's Garden, Peterborough
 Washburn's Windy Hill Orchard, Greenville
 Wellscroft Farm, Harrisville
 Windyhurst Farm, Westmoreland

Merrimack Valley Region

Apple Hill Farm, Concord
 Beech Hill Farm, Hopkinton
 Brookdale Fruit Farms, Hollis
 Carter Hill Orchard, Concord
 D.S. Cole Growers, Loudon
 Folsom's Sugar House, Chester
 Gould Hill Orchards, Contoocook
 Highway View Farm, Boscawen
 J & F Farms, Derry
 Jones Farm, Chichester
 Lull Farm, Hollis
 Moose Hill Orchards, Londonderry
 Morrill Farm, Penacook
 Nesenkeag Co-op Farm, Litchfield
 Pleasant View Gardens, Loudon
 S.A. & A.S. Bartlett, Concord
 Sunnycrest Farm Inc., Londonderry
 Frye Farm, Wilton
 Van Berkum Nurseries, Deerfield
 Wilson Farm, Litchfield
 Windswept Maples, Loudon

Seacoast Region

Apple Annie, Brentwood
 Berry Hill Farm, Stratham
 Blueberry Bay Farm, Stratham
 Cobbler Hill Farm, Rye
 Demeritt Hill Farm, Lee
 Emery Farm, Durham
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